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TOPIC Military Information from Weisswasser

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REMARKS

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At 4 a.m. on 21 July 1952, a train consisting of eight boxcars and an undetermined number of flatcars carrying a total of about 240 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia, 15 guns with trucks

was unloaded at the Weisswasser

(O 52/A 74) railroad station, coming from the direction of Cottbus. Troops and material left the station in the direction of Camp Nochten

four tank cars arrived at the ration supply depot during the night of 23 July, coming from the direction of Ruhland. A train carrying between 300 and 350 soldiers wearing black-bordered black epaulets and including six flatcars with equipment and pontoons, 12 trucks

and 2 amphibious cars was unloaded at 6 a.m. on 24 July, coming from the direction of Cottbus. Two tank cars were drained into tank trucks

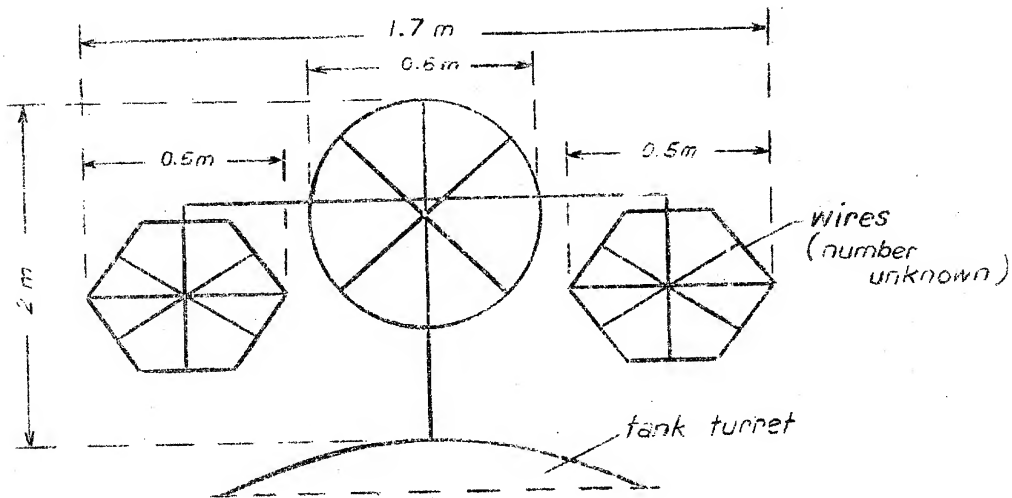
at the ration supply depot at noon. Forty carloads of flour from Jueterbog were unloaded at the ration supply depot at about 3 p.m. *

* Comment. The motor vehicle with the 15 guns seen on 21 July 1952 belong to the area of the Third Gds Mecz Army, probably to the 9th Mecz Div. As another report indicated that an engineer train was unloaded on 23 July 1952, there is reason for believing that the 82d Engr Bn of the 9th Mecz Div returned from practices in Wittenberg.

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